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UNISSEY and ÉDOKIAL : a strategic partnership to take the fight against live identity theft to the next level

Today, UNISSEY and ÉDOKIAL are combining their expertise to offer a complete identity verification service for customer transactions. From document compliance and authenticity to identity verification using facial biometrics, this new offer streamlines the customer experience and strengthens the fight against online fraud.

DID YOU KNOW?

2020 acted as a catalyst for the **emergence of online services**, which were able to display their "remote" know-how in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic. This is particularly true for remote banking services that are increasingly switching to a fully digital path.



However, access to the digital world is also seeing **identity fraud** increase, both in quantity and quality with more and more professional fraudsters (+29% in one year). In fact, more than 7 out of 10 companies have experienced at least one fraud attempt this year.

To face this phenomenon and find a **secure answer to the evolution of digital uses**, more and more market players are equipping themselves with **identity verification technologies**. 85% of the players have already implemented solutions and the remaining 15% want to equip themselves within three years.



The goal of the partnership between ÉDOKIAL and UNISSEY is to provide an innovative approach to a complete remote identity verification while ensuring a high level of trust and security for the digital world.

The two companies' activities are perfectly complementary:



→ on one hand, **ÉDOKIAL** masters all aspects of **document flow management**.



→ on the other hand, **UNISSEY** is an expert in **identity verification by facial biometrics**.

It is therefore self-evident that the two companies have come together..
this unique partnership will allow to remotely confirm that the user is who he/she claims to be, while blocking fraud and providing an optimal user experience.

*“Innovation-oriented, we are very attentive to **new technologies** and **French start-ups** that make up our market. It is through a strategy of constant monitoring that we identified UNISSEY. The biometric technology developed by this start-up seemed to us to be the **most relevant on the market**.”* underlines Marc LACROIX, Director of Innovation at ÉDOKIAL.

UNISSEY technology enriches the ÉDOKIAL "Collection & Compliance" solution dedicated to **KYC (Know Your Customer)**, completeness and anti-fraud of documents with a high-performance biometric brick.



*“With our offers integrating UNISSEY technology, our customers can guarantee their users a **smooth and secure customer journey** while respecting their challenges related to **compliance** and **document authenticity**.”* said Clement LARGUIER, Marketing and Business Director at ÉDOKIAL.

*“UNISSEY is very proud to support ÉDOKIAL, bringing to their KYC offerings all the power of our **SaaS platform for facial biometric verification** secured with passive liveness detection. Having a secure and seamless process of **remote identity verification** is highly **anticipated by various markets**, including banking and insurance. This new partnership allows us to grow our platform, aiming to become the European reference.”* says Sébastien BRANGOULO, CRO at UNISSEY.



ÉDOKIAL praises the **ease of implementation of the UNISSEY solution** and the availability of the technical and sales teams, who have supported the increase in skills of the teams on anti-fraud documents and identity.





“Aside from the evaluations received, this partnership is a real proof of confidence in the performance of our liveness detection and facial comparison algorithms. We have kept our promise of our solution and API’s fast and easy integration within ÉDOKIAL’s system. Today, we are proud to be able to offer a complete and ultra-fluid remote identity confirmation service with them.” adds Olivier ROBLIN, CTO of UNISSEY.



About UNISSEY:

Unissey is an innovative startup based in Paris, providing solutions in the field of identity confirmation by facial biometrics. With a team of more than 20 experts in biometrics, digital identity, and artificial intelligence, it creates an intuitive, secure, and accessible experience to access the digital world. Unissey focuses on critical issues such as the fight against biometric discrimination, data protection, and the fluidity of the customer experience.

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About ÉDOKIAL:

For more than 50 years, ÉDOKIAL has been working with clients across their entire document value chain.

The company offers solutions for collecting, controlling, securing and distributing data, in digital or paper form. Banks, insurance companies, property managers, pension funds and industry players, more than 400 clients trust ÉDOKIAL.

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